

TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF HB 6126
An Act Authorizing Bicyclists to Cross the Housatonic Railroad
At-Grade in New Milford

Rep Clark Chapin,

I am a resident of Cornwall and involved with a trail along the Housatonic from Massachusetts to New Milford to connect with Tom Obrien's effort at Sega. We may also need similar crossings further north. I hope you will point out that this kind of crossing will help both recreation and tourism in the region, and facilitate lower cost trails. In Cornwall, where we have about 6 unsigaled crossings on River road between West Cornwall and Falls Village. These crossings are heavily used by walkers. I grew up in Cornwall about 60 years ago. In all those years, I have never heard of a problem.

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